



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 2151

PATENT Attorney Docket No. 05225.0193-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) |
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| Miwako DOI et al. |) Group Art Unit: 2151 |
| Application No.: 09/754,149 |) Examiner: Divecha, Kamal B |
| Filed: January 5, 2001 |) Confirmation No.: 3467 |
| For: SERVICE PROVIDING METHOD AND SYSTEM |) Mail Stop AF) |
| Mail Stop Amendment | |

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the final Office Action mailed September 8, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.